

APPROVED: Meeting No. 15-84

ATTEST:

Helen M. Heneghan

MAYOR AND COUNCIL

ROCKVILLE, MARYLAND

MEETING NO. 11-84

April 30, 1984

The Mayor and Council of Rockville, Maryland, convened in general session in the Council Chamber, Rockville City Hall, Maryland at Vinson Street, Rockville, Maryland, on Monday, April 30, 1984, at 10:15 p.m.

PRESENT

Mayor John R. Freeland

Councilman Steve Abrams

Councilman Douglas Duncan

Councilwoman Viola Hovsepian

Councilman John Tyner

The Mayor in the Chair.

In attendance: City Manager Larry Blick; City Clerk Helen Heneghan; City Attorney Paul Glasgow.

Re: Approval of Minutes Report

On motion of Councilwoman Hovsepian, duly seconded and unanimously passed, the Minutes of Meeting No. 10-84, April 23, 1984, were approved as amended.

Re: Proclamation: To Express
Gratitude to May
Nicewarner

Proclamation No. 4-84

There being no objection from the Council, Mayor Freeland proceeded to issue Proclamation No. 4-84, proclaiming the City of Rockville's gratitude and appreciation to May Nicewarner on the occasion of her retirement after many years of devoted service to the Board of Education. Councilman Duncan read the proclamation at the request of the Mayor.

Re: Citizen's Forum

The Mayor opened the meeting to those citizens who wished to address the Mayor and Council.

There being no citizen wishing to address the Mayor and Council, the Mayor closed the citizen's forum portion of the meeting.

Re: Balloting Results - Board
of Election Supervisors

Ellen Covey, Chairman of the Board of Election of Supervisors presented to the Mayor and Council the unofficial results of the balloting. It was as follows:

Mayor

John R. Freeland 3,352

Councilmembers

Viola D. Hovsepian	2,607
John Tyner	2,493
Douglas Duncan	2,462
Steve Abrams	2,224
Peter Hartogensis	1,976
Paul Tierney	1,674
Sima D. Osdoby	1,382
Stephen Fisher	1,270

Advisory Referendum Questions

Question No. 1 - If a vacancy occurs in the office of Mayor during the first six months of office, should the unexpired term of Mayor be filled by:

Special election of the voters	OR	Vote of the remaining members of the Council
2,365		1,585

Question No. 2 - If a vacancy occurs in the office of the Councilmember during the first six months of office, should the unexpired term of such Councilmembers be filled by:

Special election of the voters	OR	Vote of the remaining members of the Mayor and Council?
1,939		1,991

Question No. 3 - Should the Mayor be limited to two consecutive terms in office?

YES
2,280

NO
1,672

Question No. 4 - Should a Councilmember be limited to three consecutive terms in office?

YES
2,432

NO
1,499

Question No. 5 - Should the present two year term of all members of the Mayor and Council be increased to four years?

YES
1,540

NO
2,395

Mrs. Covey noted for the Council's interest that 236 voters registered at City Hall.

Mayor Freeland thanked the voters for their turnout and the results of today's elections.

Re: Adjournment

There being no further business to come before the Mayor and Council in general session, on motion of Councilwoman Hovsepian, duly seconded and unanimously passed, the meeting was adjourned at 10:30 p.m. to convene again in general session on Monday, May 7, 1984, at 8:00 p.m. or at the call of the Mayor.

Re: Executive Session

The Mayor and Council of Rockville, Maryland, convened in executive session on Wednesday, May 2, 1984, at 9:15 p.m. to discuss personnel.

There being no further business to come before the Council in executive session, the meeting was adjourned at p.m. to convene again in general session in the Council Chamber on Monday, May 7, 1984, at 8:00 p.m. or at the call of the Mayor.